Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Tuesday 04 Apr 2023 until 23:59 on Wednesday 05 Apr 2023

Forecast Issued on Monday 03 Apr 2023 at 14:22

Confidence: High confidence for settled weather until Wednesday. Lower confidence for timings of rainfall and showers from midweek onwards. Increasing confidence for more settled weather at the end of the week and over the weekend.

Headline for Tuesday 04 Apr 2023: Dry with plenty of sunny spells and hazy sunshine later.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 04 Apr 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m

Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	<05%	<05%	10%

Forecast for Tuesday 04 Apr 2023

Weather: A cold start on Tuesday with some early mist and shallow fog patches in the valleys quickly clearing, leaving a fine and dry day. Higher level cloud increases from the west during the afternoon turning the sunshine hazy. Breezy and feeling quite cold on the summits but relatively pleasant in the sunshine. Staying dry through the evening but turning cold.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 60% increasing to greater than 90% from mid-morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Isolated patches of clouds are possible between 400-600m at first, quickly lifting through the morning. During the afternoon, only patchy cloud mostly above the summits. Generally very good visibility but turning hazy during the afternoon, causing distant landmarks to appear faint. Also, locally poor or very poor visibility in any lower cloud and morning mist.

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Forecast for Tuesday 04 Apr 2023

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	13/21 SE	9/15 SE	12/17 SE	10/14 S	11/15 S	10/14 SW	8/12 SW	8/13 SW	11/18 SW
300	4/9 SE	2/4 NE	2/4 SE	2/6 E	7/12 S	7/13 SW	5/11 SW	5/10 SW	6/14 SW
Valley	5/11 E	3/7 NE	3/6 NE	3/6 E	6/12 S	6/12 SW	4/11 SW	4/9 SW	4/12 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	2/-3	1/-3	1/-4	2/-1	6/3	7/5	6/4	4/1	3/-1
300	2/-0	-0/-2	-2/-4	5/4	10/8	11/9	9/7	6/4	5/3
Valley	3/0	0/-2	-1/-3	5/4	10/9	11/10	9/8	6/5	6/4
Freezing Level*	900m	600m	200m	700m	900m	1100m	1100m	1100m	1000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

UV levels will be moderate in the prolonged sunshine, especially during the middle of the day, so some additional sun protection may be required. Despite the sunshine, it will feel cold in the breeze, particularly on any summits.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Sun 02 Apr 2023	0mm	12.6mm	25.4mm

Forecast for Wednesday 05 Apr 2023

Weather: Another mostly dry day is likely on Wednesday, although cloudier than previous days. A band of rain will arrive from the west later, turning heavy and persistent into the evening and overnight.

Maximum wind: South-westerly, 10-15mph, increasing to 15-20mph into the evening. Gusts of 20-25mph possible, particularly during the afternoon and evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 40%, decreasing to 20% by late afternoon/evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Cloud generally covering slopes and summits above 600m through the day, however cloud lowering to around 400m through the afternoon and into the evening. Generally good visibility beneath the cloud, but moderate to poor in any lower cloud, and deteriorating in any rain later.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 Celsius, rising to plus 9 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 2 Celsius, rising to plus 5 Celsius.
Freezing level: Freezing level above the summits.

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